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To:

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

This Amendment and Response under 37 CFR § 1.111 is submitted in response to the nonfinal Office Action, Paper No. 3, mailed on May 22, 2002. Please reconsider the aboveidentified patent application in view of the amendments and remarks presented hereinafter.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend paragraphs [0012], [0014], [0026], [0034], [0038], and [0048] according to the attached sheets.

Please replace Table 3 on page 10 according to the attached sheets.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1, 17 and 26 according to the attached sheets.

REMARKS

A nonfinal Office Action was issued in this application on May 22, 2002. In such Office Action, all pending claims 1-26 were rejected. In response thereto, claims 1, 17 and 26 have been amended herein. Upon entry of this amendment, claims 1-26 remain pending for the Examiner's consideration. In addition, the Specification has been amended to correct obvious typographical errors and to make the specification conform to matter disclosed in the original claims. None of the amendments set forth herein constitute the addition of new

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